GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5151
ANSWERED ON:20.04.2001
PROGRAMMES THROUGH SATELLITE CHANNELS AT DALTONGANJ D.D. KENDRA
BHAWANA GAWALI (PATIL)

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the programmes of satellite channels have not been started from the Daltonganj Doordarshan Kendra in Palamu district of Jharkhand State;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government propose to start these channels immediately in such areas; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the time by which the Government are contemplating to start these programmes?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SMT. SUSHMA SWARAJ)

(a),(b),(c)&(d):- Programmes of all channels of Doordarshan in satellite mode are available throughout the country and can be received by using appropriate dish antenna system or through cable network.